

Multi-Category Decisions

Overview & Highlights

Important Notes to keep in mind:

- Review "Project Description" and any posted "Public Notices" carefully before selecting which decisions you want to submit to
- Before the opportunity closes, you have the option to change which decisions you are submitting to by going back to Step 1 of your submission
- You can submit to as many decisions as you would like/are able to satisfy
- Pay close attention to the tags on pieces of Requested Information to ensure what you are submitting matches the decision
- Review, download and fill out all "Supporting Documentation" and "Requested Information" well in advance.
- We strongly recommend that you give yourself sufficient time and **at least ONE (1) day** before Closing Time to begin the uploading process and to finalize your submission

Quick Resources

Video Walkthrough

Detailed training: Check out our full training video on submitting to Multi-Category Decisions.

Quick Video: Check out our high-level overview video, which contains a walkthrough of the <u>Vendor Registration</u> and <u>Submission</u> process

Bonfire Resources/Articles:

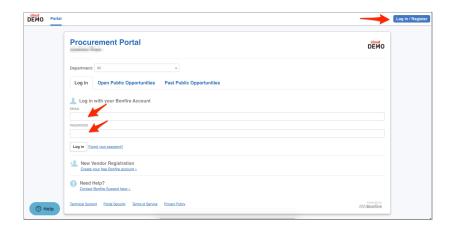
- Creating and Uploading a Submission (for Vendors)
- How do I change which categories/decisions I'm submitting for?

Multi-Category Decision Process

Accessing the Opportunity Getting to the right location

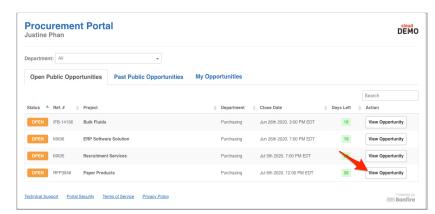
☐ Log into the portal.

(If you do not have an account please Register for one)



- □ Search and find your opportunity (under the "Open Public Opportunities" or "My Opportunities" [for invited projects] tabs.)
- ☐ If you are looking to continue with an

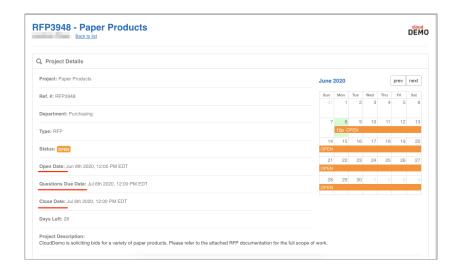
 Opportunity you had previously started
 Resuming my Submission



Navigating the Opportunity

Project Details & Important Events

■ Note key project dates and details under the "Project Details" section



Check "Important Events" section for additional events and deadlines



Supporting Documentation

■ Download and Review all documents provided by the purchasing organization under the "Supporting Documentation" section



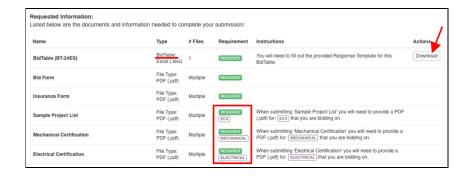
Decisions

■ Note the different available decisions that you can choose to submit to.



Requested Information

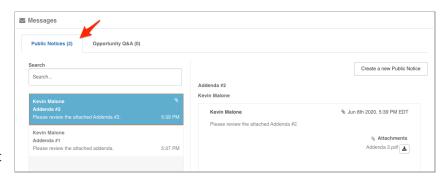
- Note the details of what is required as part of your submission under the "Requested Information" section.
- ☐ If the project requires a BidTable or Questionnaire, you can **download** the template in this section.



☐ Pieces of Requested Information that are decision-specific will be tagged, showing you what is required for different decision submissions.

Messages

- □ Check the "Public Notices" tab for any new information about the project (ex. addenda).
- ☐ If "Opportunity Q&A" is open (check Questions Due Date from Project details section), you can directly send the Project Owner any project related question you may have under that tab.



Uploading Your Submission

Prepare Your Submission

- Note key project details and Project Description under the "Project Details" section.
- Make any necessary changes to your contact information.

Select Decisions

Files

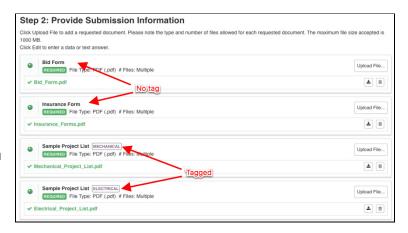
☐ Use the checkboxes to select which decisions you would like to bid on. Once you have made your selections, click Step
 2: Upload Your Files.

Provide Submission Information and Upload

- □ Any Requested Information without a tag will be required no matter what, while any with a tag may differ depending on the decisions you selected in the previous step.
- Upload and fill out the required information.

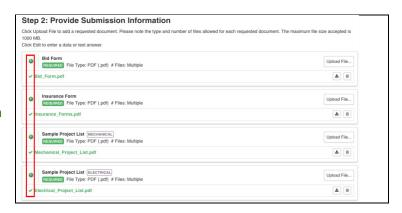






Submission Check

☐ Do a final check that you have all of your information filled out and files uploaded (green validation circles).



Submit & Finalize

☐ Check off "I understand that I can't change any of the submission details or documents once the project closes." box and click on the "Submit & Finalize My Submission" button.



CONGRATULATIONS on completing your Submission! You will now be directed to the Submission Receipt

Post Submission Resources

- Can I revise my submission?
- How do I find my submission confirmation?
- Finding Award Information